

NJ Department of Environmental Protection
State Forestry Services
Private Lands Program

Hourly Position

Title: Assistant Forester **Salary:** \$13.00 - \$17.00/hr.
(Commensurate with experience)

Closing Date: December 16, 2016 **Vacancies:** 1

Location: Duty stations will be Burlington and Atlantic County with travel responsibilities to central and southern New Jersey.

Work Schedule: 15+/- hours/week, weekdays, 2- 3 days a week.

Position Information:

Assist with the private forestry program such as: The NJ State Forest Service, Private Lands program, is seeking a forester. The candidate must be familiar with various silvicultural regeneration systems, precommercial and commercial thinning operations, timber cruising and scaling along with Geographic Information Systems (GIS) desktop and web-based applications, global positioning systems and Microsoft Office applications. Foresters will be assisting regional personnel in the private lands management programs for reviewing forest management plans and inspecting private land properties for compliance to various plan activities and state and federal rules and regulations under the supervision of a Regional Forester or above. Upon request, the successful applicant will assist the state lands program with additional duties. Indoor and outdoor work assignments will be required.

Requirements:

- Four-year forest management degree from an SAF accredited College or University
- Geographic Information Systems (GIS) desktop and web-based applications, global positioning systems and Microsoft Office applications.
- Ability to use and care for office machines and equipment

If you are interested in this position, please send a cover letter (including availability) and resume to jon.klischies@dep.nj.gov